

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Scott A. LEMAN) Group Art Unit: 3748
Application No. 10/788,431)) Examiner: KYLE M. RIDDLE
Filed: February 27, 2004) Confirmation No. 7015
For: ENGINE VALVE ACTUATOR))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 27, 2006, the period for response to which is extended through August 28, 2006 (August 27, 2006 being a Sunday) by the petition for a three month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.